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JOB PRINTING.—A fine line of new job type was received by the City of Panama at *The Colonist*. Billheads, cards, circulars and posters are now turned out at very few rates in first-class style. *

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

THE PUBLIC OF VICTORIA ARE HEREBY notified not to give credit to any person on our account without an order, except to our authorized buyer Leung Kee. KWONG LEE & CO.
Victoria, Aug. 30th, 1878. se1

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND TO apply at the sitting of the Bench of Licensing Magistrates, to be held on 9th September next ensuing, for a License to sell Wines, Spirits, etc., at the premises known as the Douglas House, Humboldt St.
au27 F. G. RICHARDS.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

PRIVATE BILLS.

ALL APPLICATIONS FOR PRIVATE BILLS properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of the "British North American Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbour, Canal, Lock, Dam or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any Joint Stock Company; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the rights or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application to be published as follows:—

A notice inserted in the BRITISH COLUMBIA GAZETTE and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.

Before any petition, praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such a Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding rule, also at the same time and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

ELI HARRISON, Jr., Law Clerk.
House of Assembly, Victoria. my31

BRITISH COLUMBIA RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THE FIFTH ANNUAL PRIZE MEETING WILL be held at Clover Point Range, Victoria, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 12th, 13th and 14th September, 1878.

The competition for a place in the Canadian Team to Wimbledon in 1879 will take place on Thursday and Friday, 26th and 27th September, 1878. The competition will be open to all efficient members of the active Militia. By order,
au30 F. FLETCHER, Secty B.C.R.A.

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
de30 LD. LOWENBERG.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned as butchers, carrying on business at the "Liverpool Market," on Yates street, Victoria, under the name of Jackson, Goodacre & Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to the late firm are by the terms of the dissolution payable to John Goodacre, who will assume and pay all liabilities of the late firm of Jackson, Goodacre & Co.

The business will hereafter be conducted at the "Liverpool Market" by John Goodacre, under the name of John Goodacre & Co.

JOHN JACKSON,
JOHN GOODACRE.
Witness, Lyndon LeLeivre.
Victoria, 29th August, 1878. au30

PUBLIC NOTICE.

ALL LETTERS ON PRIVATE BUSINESS ADDRESSED TO THE HON. T. B. HUMPHREYS, PROVINCIAL SECRETARY AND MINISTER OF MINES, SHOULD BE MARKED "PRIVATE" ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE ENVELOPE.

T. ELWYN,
Deputy Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Dept.,
Victoria, 23rd July, 1878. jy24dw2m

NOTICE.

PURSUANT TO A DECREE OF THE SUPREME Court of British Columbia made in the cause of the Governor and Company of Adventurers of England trading into Hudson Bay against Ermenigildo Grancini, the creditors of Alfred Waddington, late of Ottawa, Civil Engineer, deceased, who died on or about the 26th day of February, 1872, are by their solicitors, on or before the 15th day of October next, to come in and prove their debts before Charles E. Pooley, Esquire, Registrar of the said Supreme Court, at his office, Supreme Court House, James Bay, Victoria, Vancouver Island, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the said decree.

The 22nd day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, is appointed to hear and adjudicate upon the claims.

Dated 17th day of July, 1878.

DRAKE & JACKSON,
Bastion St., Victoria, Solicitors for the Plaintiff.
jy17dw3m

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

TENDERS FOR GRADING, TRACKLAYING, &C.

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED TO THE UNdersigned and endorsed "Tender Pacific Railway," will be received at this office up to noon of Wednesday the 1st day of January next, for the Grading, Tracklaying and other works of construction required to be executed on the following sections of the Canadian Pacific Railway:—

1. From the westerly end of the 26th. contract at English River to Raleigh, a distance of about 50 miles.
2. From Raleigh to Eagle River, a distance of about 8 miles.
3. From Eagle River to the Easterly end of the 15th contract at Keewatin, a distance of about 67 miles.
4. From Yale to Kamloops Lake in British Columbia, a distance of about 125 miles.

Plans, etc., may be seen, and Specifications, approximate quantities, forms of tender, and other information obtained at the office of the Engineer in Chief at Ottawa.

A bill of quantities will be ready on or before December 1st, at the Dept. of Public Works.

No Tender will be entertained unless on the printed form, and unless the conditions are complied with.

The general Tender for construction of whole line under Railway Act of 1874, covers above sections; but separate tenders are asked under the ordinary conditions of the Department.

By order,
F. BRAUN,
Department of Public Works, Secretary.
Ottawa, 13th August, 1878. au30dw

FISHERIES.

WE INVITE THE FISHERMEN OF BRITISH Columbia to ask their merchant or outfitter for samples and prices for our STANDARD COTTON SEINE NETTING AND NETS; 70 lbs cotton gives as large area of spread as 100 lbs net. Cotton is universally used in the United States, France and England in the fisheries, and it is more economical and durable than hemp.

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NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned as linen drapers, carrying on business at the Victoria House, Victoria, under the name of Denny & Spencer, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to the late firm are by the terms of the dissolution payable to William Denny, who will assume and pay all liabilities of the late firm of Denny & Spencer, and carry on the business on his own account.

Dated 2nd September, 1878.
WILLIAM DENNY,
DAVID SPENCER.
Witness—W. Pollard. se3

NOTICES.

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NOTICE.

HIE LEE, CORMORANT STREET, REQUESTS all persons who are indebted to him to pay their accounts on or before the 15th of October next; and all persons to whom he is owing money are requested to present their accounts for payment before that date.

Victoria, 14th August, 1878. au15 2m

SAINT ANNE, OTTAWA, RIVER

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE SEcretary of Public Works, and endorsed "Tender for Canal and Lock at St. Anne," will be received at this office until the arrival of the Eastern and Western mails on TUESDAY THE 8TH DAY OF OCTOBER next, for the construction of a Lock and the formation of approaches to it on the landward side of the present lock at St. Anne.

A map of the locality, together with plans and specification of the works to be done, can be seen at this office and at the Resident Engineer's office, St. Anne, on and after TUESDAY THE 24TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER next, at either of which places printed forms of Tender can be obtained.

Contractors are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms and—in the case of firms—except there are attached the actual signatures, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of the same; and further, an accepted Bank cheque for the sum of $2000 must accompany the Tender, which sum shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the works at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted.

The cheque thus sent in will be returned to the respective parties whose tenders are not accepted.

For the due fulfilment of the contract, satisfactory security will be required by the deposit of money to the amount of *five per cent.* on the bulk sum of the contract, of which the sum sent in with the Tender will be considered a part.

Ninety per cent. only of the progress estimates will be paid until the completion of the work.

To each tender must be attached the actual signatures of two responsible and solvent persons, residents of the Dominion, willing to become sureties for the carrying out of these conditions, as well as the due performance of the works embraced in the Contract.

The Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
F. BRAUN,
Secretary.
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
Ottawa, 10th August, 1878. se8dw

PUBLIC NOTICE.

PERSONS ADDRESSING LETTERS ON PRIVATE BUSINESS TO THE HON. G. A. WALKEM, CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF LANDS & WORKS, ARE REQUESTED BY THE UNDERSIGNED TO ENDORSE THE WORD "PRIVATE" ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE ENVELOPES COVERING SUCH COMMUNICATIONS.

A. S. FARWELL,
Surveyor-General.
Land and Works Dept.,
Victoria, July 22, 1878. jy23dw

DENTISTRY.

DR. J. CALDER, Surgical and Mechanical Dentist

LATE OF SAN FRANCISCO,

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RIGHT HAND SIDE OF STAIR CASE, SPENCER'S PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY.

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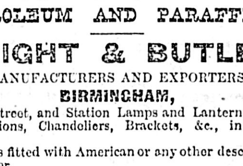

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NEXT DOOR TO THE ST. NICHOLAS BATHS. se6

POLITICAL.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN: It has come to my knowledge that certain persons have industriously spread the report that I have withdrawn as a Candidate to represent you at Ottawa. I hereby beg to state that such report has no foundation, and that I shall, at an early day, publish my address, and then ask you to meet me at such places and times as may be found most convenient.

Your ob't serv't,
se10dwtf A. C. ELLIOTT.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VANCOUVER DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN: THE REPORT INDUSTRIOUSLY circulated amongst you that I have retired from the canvass for the Commons in your district is untrue. I intend to go the poll. I am pledged to that, and under no circumstances shall I retire. On this you may depend.

A. J. McLELLAN.
Victoria, Sept. 10, 1878. se11dw

MR. A. C. ELLIOTT

WILL BE A CANDIDATE TO REPRESENT VICTORIA DISTRICT IN THE DOMINION HOUSE OF COMMONS AT THE ENSUING GENERAL ELECTION. jy7tf

MR. FRANK PAGDEN

IS A CANDIDATE TO REPRESENT THE ELECTORS OF VANCOUVER DISTRICT IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS AT THE APPROACHING ELECTION. se7

POLITICAL.

MR. JOHN JESSOP, LATE SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION, WILL BE A CANDIDATE FOR THE REPRESENTATION OF VANCOUVER DISTRICT IN THE DOMINION PARLIAMENT. HIS ADDRESS TO THE ELECTORS WILL APPEAR IN A FEW DAYS. se7

MR. J. P. DAVIES

Will be a Candidate to represent Victoria District in the Dominion House of Commons at the coming Election.
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ELECTORS! RESERVE YOUR PLEDGES.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VANCOUVER DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—HAVING BEEN CALLED UPON by a large number of merchants, farmers, workingmen and others to represent Vancouver District in the House of Commons at the ensuing general election, and believing that there never was a period in the history of our adopted country more critical than the present—when honest, industrious men, who constitute the bone and sinew of the commonwealth, should look after their rights—when commercial men who are in the channels of trade—enterprising men who develop the resources of the country—workingmen whose honest toil revolves the wheel of commerce and puts the whole machinery in motion—should give that attention and care to public interests which are justly expected of every true patriot and loyal citizen. And having, moreover, been intimately acquainted with the political interests of the Dominion in the Eastern Provinces, and having helped to place men in power who have been the workingman's friends and the friends of progress, such as the Hons. Sir J. A. Macdonald, Ontario; S. L. Tilley, N. B.; Dr. Tupper, N. S.; and J. C. Pope, P. E. I.; I shall, if elected by your suffrages, be found working shoulder to shoulder with such men for the country's weal.

I am led to this determination for the simple reason that the present Government have failed to act justly with British Columbia, after five years of unlimited power. They have given us no definite hope of the immediate construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway and no change of Tariff on account of our isolated and distant geographical position. I advocate therefore:

1. Immediate railway construction and the honorable fulfilment of what is known as the Carnarvon Terms.
2. The erection of a Drydock at once as being, like the Railway, not only a Provincial but also a national necessity.
3. The importation free of duty of all material required for the rigging and fitting of ships that cannot be procured in this Province.
4. A just and equitable adjustment of both Export and Import Dues from a reciprocal point of view, which would benefit largely the Commercial, Mining, Agricultural and Lumbering interests of the Districts as well as of the whole Province.
5. I would also strive to secure a new Postoffice for the thriving city of Nanaimo, and failing in that, some improvement at least upon the shameful neglect of its present postal facilities.

Other local and provincial wants which may call for legislative redress shall receive, if I am elected, my serious attention and warmest support.

I shall take an early opportunity of holding public meetings in the various sections of your wide and extensive district (of which due notice will be given) at which I shall, as also in private intercourse, fully explain the course I intend to pursue, and hope as the result of that to receive your generous support.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
A. J. McLELLAN.
Nanaimo, June 14th, 1878. je30dw

TO THE ELECTORS OF SOOKE, LAKE SAANICH, COWICHAN, NANAIMO AND COMOX.

GENTLEMEN:—The very great favor with which my proposal to become a candidate for the representation of Vancouver District in the House of Commons has been received, although just on the eve of an election, and the satisfaction manifested by my numerous friends from Sooke to Comox, induce me to add my name to the number already soliciting your suffrages.

Several years have elapsed since I contested and nearly carried the seat for which I am again an aspirant. Then I was comparatively unknown and a stranger to many in the District. From 1872 to the present time the exercise of my duties as Superintendent of Education has brought me into personal contact with most of the electors. I trust that nearly seven years' educational work has secured for me such a reputation as will induce you to believe that if chosen as your representative at Ottawa I shall carry the same honesty of purpose, industry and energy into the political arena that my many friends in every part of the Province give me the credit of having shown in the establishment and conduct of our school system.

Experience and observation have only confirmed me in the political opinions which I had the honor to enunciate when prosecuting my canvass in the early days of Confederation. We have everything to gain and nothing to lose by a change in the Government at Ottawa. I need hardly announce, therefore, that I am still faithful in my allegiance to the party of which Sir John A. Macdonald is the leader. At the same time, if elected, I cannot promise to give that great party, either in opposition or in possession of the Treasury Benches, a blind, unreasoning and slavish support; because it can easily be imagined that questions may arise when to do so would be detrimental to the best interests of your large and influential district. Those interests shall always be paramount to every party consideration.

The claims upon the Dominion Government for the construction of the Island Railway, in which you are particularly interested, must be held inviolate. While other districts have been filling up with industrious immigrants, the settlement of Vancouver has been retarded by the withdrawal of all the Crown lands from preemption in the railway belt, thus rendering it impossible to form an estimate of the injury, direct and indirect, that has been perpetrated by the "how-not-to-do-it" policy of the Mackenzie Administration.

The present Tariff is not suited to all sections of the Dominion. I believe that a measure can be devised that will be fair and equitable to all the Provinces, and tend to foster and encourage manufacturing, agricultural and other interests throughout Canada. Being quite alive to the necessity of great caution in dealing with this question, I will here assure the electors that, if successful at the polls, their interests shall be made paramount to every other consideration when the proper time arrives for legislating upon a subject of so much importance.

With regard to questions of a local nature, such as postal, telegraphic, marine, etc., etc., which may come under the purview of the general government, I will, if returned, omit no opportunity of representing your wants and claims at the proper time and in the proper quarter.

No time will be lost in prosecuting a personal canvass throughout the district, and whenever practicable public meetings will be held, which will enable me to enter more into detail on the above-mentioned subjects, and touch upon others that cannot be discussed in the space usually allotted to an address of this description.

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen,
Your very ob't serv't,
JOHN JESSOP.
Victoria, 9th Sept., 1878. se10dw

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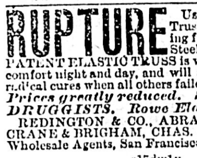

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THE UNPAID TEACHERS.

Actions are said to speak louder than words. Governments and men must be judged by their acts. If they were taken at their professions it is to be feared that an investor would make a sorry bargain, indeed. Just now we think of the treatment school-teachers are receiving at the hands of the Government. Their salaries are three months in arrear. Other officials have been paid. Members of the Legislature have been paid. The Ministerial trio—those overworked, conscientious, painstaking, pious humbugs—have been paid. Political "loblolly boys" for questionable services at the elections have been paid. Accounts that the ELLIOTT Government refused to recognize have been paid. Everybody has been paid—except the school-teachers. The Government organ denies that Mr. WALKEM is opposed to free schools. But, actions speak louder than words. If he favored those institutions, would he not do all in his power to foster them and encourage faithful men and women who are devoting the best years of their lives to the cause of education? Is it any wonder that a spirit of insubordination has begun to invade the institution, and that the permanency of the fabric is threatened? The inexplicable conduct of the Government is imperiling the existence of the schools, and were the teachers to "strike" for their pay to-morrow the establishments must be closed until it should please the people to replace the present obstructives with men of more enlightened, liberal and progressive minds.

The Triumph of a Managing Mamma.

"Templeton" writes from Boston to the Hartford *Courant:* So Mrs. Paran Stevens has married her daughter into the English nobility at last. The case presents a notable instance of an ambition early conceived, persistently adhered to, and triumphantly realized. Mrs. Paran Stevens was what one of our Boston wits once called "a chop-house impresario." Her husband was the first great hotel keeper of Boston. When I first remember him he was keeping the New England house, a hotel at the north end of Boston, in which Boston merchants boarded their clerks, for the purpose of capturing country customers as they came to the city. (This was before the days of "drummers," you know.) The New England house was well kept in its way, but it was several degrees below first-class. When the Revere house was built everybody was surprised at the ambition of Mr. Stevens to be its landlord. He took it, and kept it well, too. More than all this, he taught the landlords all over the country how to improve in their business. He was a clear-headed, sound-minded business-man, who knew his own sphere and his own strength, and never attempted anything above them. He died worth $4,000,000. In the days of his early prosperity he married the lady who is now his widow. She was considerably younger than himself, and a resident of Lowell, in this State. She brought him no money, but she had a boundless social ambition. It did not procure her the entrance to society in Boston, even after her great wealth came. Neither did New York readily yield to her when the family moved to that city. Then she set about buying for her children a place independent of either city. Her daughter Minnie, who promised to be a brilliant and a beautiful girl, was destined by her mother to lead the fortunes of the family to this end. She educated her most carefully. She brought her up and brought her out according to the strictest propriety, and when at last Minnie was educated and ready for society, she was able to say that the girl was fit to be a bride for the best of their coronets. Such was the general opinion also. Miss Stevens had many admirers for her amiability, her grace, and her intelligence. Still the doors of New York did not open to her. She went abroad, and she made just the sensation the mother's heart had longed for. This reputation followed her home, and when titled foreigners came to pay her attention, then New York also yielded. The unpleasant feature about it all is the fitting of a young American girl for the foreign matrimonial market, the advertising her in advance as preparing for that distinction. You can find the whole process set out in "The Tender Recollections of Irene MacGillicuddy," which almost everybody inside feels that Mrs. Stevens suggested. Mrs. Stevens' campaign shows how much can be done with money, too, among the best blood of the English nobility. For Miss Stevens is but an inn-keeper's daughter, after all. The $4,000,000 that her father left was employed by her mother to tempt the English families to an alliance, which it is too probable that her grace and sweetness would not alone have secured. There is hardly $1,000,000 of it left. Mrs. Stevens' estate is understood to have shrunk severely with the other fall in values. But we may trust the English to secure their *dot.* The husband will get a very charming wife. Let us hope that he will deserve her. And while Mrs. Stevens has fairly earned the success that has come to her endeavors, let us hope that other American mothers will not be driven wild with emulation. We need such girls as Minnie Stevens, with or without their fortune, at home. I can't refrain from alluding to the romance of the thing, with all the rest. From the New England house, at which they still sell chops in the most dingy part of Boston, to the society of Buckingham Palace is a very long stride. It is as near the fabled splendor of transformation in fairy tales as we often get nowadays. Yankee sense and shrewdness and Yankee energy and perseverance are the magic wands that wrought this spectacle.

English Mail.

(Per Steamship Dakota.)

During the year 1877, 1,175 persons were killed, and 3,705 injured by railroad accidents in Great Britain.

The Egyptian Government has resolved to establish a weekly line of steamers between Alexandria and the island of Cyprus.

Boys of ten, and thereabouts, who throw stones at London trains, are locked up four days, and receive six strokes of the birch.

The Marquis of Lorne and the Princess Louise, are visiting their German cousins prior to their departure for Canada.

Poor health has compelled Prof. Tyndall to abandon his scientific studies for a time, and he has been summering in the heart of the Alps.

The centre of gravity was so nicely calculated at the raising of Cleopatra's Needle that, when they got its iron jacket on, and it was raised by the trunnions, it balanced exactly, and one man could swing the great mass of two hundred tons.

According to the *Echo*, the Viceregality of Canada was in the first instance offered to Lord Dunraven (who is now on his vast Colorado hunting estates), and being declined by him, was, at the especial instance of the Queen, offered to Lord Lorne.

In Newcastle, England, on the register of St. Andrew's Church, is the following entry: April 24, 1693 were buried James Archer and his son Stephen, who in the month of May, 1658, were drowned in a coal pit in the Galla Flat by the breaking in of the water from an old waste. The bodies were found after thirty-six years and eleven months."

Lieut. Charles V. Strange went down with the Eurydice. He left a large property, and a will, which was in possession of his relatives, but there was believed to be a codicil which was missing. This was found a few days ago by the divers employed in raising the wreck, and will be duly admitted to probate.

A Scotch clergyman has pointed out a remarkable misprint occurring in all editions of Shakespeare's works and never before noticed, by which the bard is made to say: "Books in the running brooks, sermons in stones, and good in everything," when what he really said was undoubtedly, "stones in the running brooks, sermons in books, and good in everything."

The will of Mrs de Tourville, who was murdered by her husband in the Tyrol in 1876, is in litigation in the London Probate Court. It bequeathed her estate, amounting to some $200,000, to her husband who is serving out a life sentence for her murder, and has assigned his interest. The next of kin to the lady are contesting the will.

Landseer painted a splendid Newfoundland, with the title, "A Distinguished Member of the Humane Society," which is no misnomer, as far as the water is concerned, but we never heard of one of those dogs saving life by fire. This, however, has been done by a retriever at the residence of Mr. Francis, an English telegraph engineer, whose dog hearing the screaming when the room was on fire rushed in and brought down the youngest, aged three years.

The profits of the illustrated journals in England are enormous. The *Graphic* was started with a capital of $75,000, and this was subsequently increased to $100,000. The profits of the paper during the past year have been 100 per cent. Of this yield 70 per cent. is to be carried to the reserve fund. The capital actually laid out at the beginning has been returned to the stockholders.

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Being persuaded that the policy of the Liberal-Conservative party is the one best calculated to advance the welfare of this Province, as well as that of the Dominion at large, I shall be prepared to give Sir John A. Macdonald and that party my earnest support.

I hold that the Dominion Government has no legitimate excuse for further delay in the commencement of railway construction in British Columbia, and I have heretofore contended that, "whatever determination may be arrived at by the engineers as to the route on the Mainland, the Carnarvon Terms must be strictly adhered to by the early construction of the Nanaimo and Esquimalt Railway."

As regards the Graving Dock at Esquimalt, I entertain a strong hope that the Imperial Government will see the necessity of accepting the proposition made by the late Government of this Province, and take over the Dock and complete it as an Imperial work. I consider the refusal of the present Government of the Dominion to contribute the sum of $250,000, which was promised by their predecessors in aid of this work as highly reprehensible. Should the Imperial Government not see fit to accede to our proposal in this matter, I have no doubt a change of government in Canada would result, not only in affording us the means of carrying out this important work, but in the faithful recognition of all our Treaty rights.

I have always been of opinion that the young and struggling industries of a new country require protection, and I shall be prepared to seek for such a revision of the existing tariff as may be suitable to the exigencies of this Province.

Fully recognizing the fact that "Union is strength," my best efforts, should you do me the honor of electing me, shall be directed towards obtaining unanimity of action between the representatives of this Province.

Before the day of election I shall have full opportunities of addressing you in various parts of the district, and shall, as far as possible, prosecute a personal canvass.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,
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Victoria, Sept. 11, 1878. se15

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Dated at Victoria, September 13, 1878.

DAVID KURTZ,
THOS. L. BRIGGS,
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se15-2w J. E. MEYER.

A By-Law to amend the By-Law Entitled a By-Law to fix the compensation of the City Surveyor and Water Works Commissioner.

WHEREAS FOR SOME TIME THE OFFICES of City Surveyor, Engineer of the Water Works and Water Works Commissioner have respectively been held by one person;

And whereas the said office of Water Works Commissioner has recently been separated from the said other offices, and it is desirable that a person other than the said City Surveyor and Water Works Engineer should be appointed thereto;

And whereas it is expedient to increase the amount of compensation to be paid to the said City Surveyor and Water Works Engineer for his service in those capacities;

Be it, therefore, enacted by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:

1. Thomas Russell, Esquire, Collector and Assessor of the Municipality of the City of Victoria, is hereby appointed Water Works Commissioner.

2. Whilst the said Thomas Russell shall continue to hold the office of Assessor and Collector of the said City of Victoria, he shall receive no salary or remuneration as Water Works Commissioner,

3. Section 2 of the By-Law entitled, "A By-Law to fix the compensation of the City Surveyor and Water Works Commissioner," is hereby repealed, but such repeal shall not revive any By-Law, or section of By-Law repealed by said Section 2. In lieu of the said Section 2, the following clauses shall be inserted;

The City Surveyor and Water Works Engineer shall, whilst he shall continue to be employed, receive as remuneration a salary at the rate of One hundred and twenty-five dollars per month.

This By-Law may be cited as "The Water Works Commissioner and City Surveyor and Water Works Engineer Salary By-Law, 1878."

Passed the Municipal Council this 11th day of September, 1878.

R. FINLAYSON, Mayor.
(SEAL) WILLIAM LEIGH, Clerk to the Municipal Council.

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CARIBOO QUARTZ MINING CO., LIMITED.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

SHAREHOLDERS WHO MAY FIND IT IMPOSsible to attend the General Meeting of this Company at Barkerville, on October 3rd, are requested to send proxies (forms to be obtained on application to Mr. Chas. Morton, Langley street, Victoria). Shareholders will please observe that Clause 45, Articles of Association, takes away the right to vote unless all calls have been previously paid.

CHARLES WILSON,
Barkerville, B. C., Sept. 7, 1878. se15

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Requisition and Reply.

TO J. H. TODD, ESQ.:

SIR:—AT THE MEETING HELD LAST TUESday night, it was clearly shown by the nearly unanimous vote on Senator Macdonald's resolution, that the action of the Convention was not endorsed. We, therefore, request that you will allow yourself to consent to become one of the candidates for the representation of Victoria District in the House of Commons at the ensuing election; and we promise you our support.

W. J. MACDONALD,
J. H. TURNER,
W. J. JEFFREE,
THOS. TROUNCE,
THOS. S. BONE,
HENRY MITCHELL,
JAMES FELL,
GEORGE JENKINSON,
JOSEPH YORK, and others.

To Messrs. W. J. MACDONALD, J. H. TURNER, W. J. JEFFREE, and others:

GENTLEMEN,—I accept, with thanks, your requisition on condition that the same be endorsed by the electors at a Public meeting, to be held in Philharmonic Hall on MONDAY EVENING NEXT, AT 7.30 O'CLOCK, to which meeting I cordially invite the electors, and also all the Candidates.

I am, your ob't servant,

J. H. TODD.

Victoria, Sept. 13, 1878. se14

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875,

AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the matter of JOHN OHENHALL, an Insolvent.

TENDERS

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Official Assignee.
Victoria, Sept. 10, 1878. se13dw

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Victoria, 6th Sept., 1878. se7

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CITY OF VICTORIA, B. C.

PROPOSED POUND BOUNDARIES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN PURSUANCE of Resolution passed by the Mayor and Council on the 6th September inst., a vote of the Ratepayers of the City of Victoria will be taken on Tuesday, the 17th inst., between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., at the Council Chambers of the said city, for the purpose of affirming or rejecting certain limits, outside of which cows shall be permitted to run at large or graze, without the liability of being impounded.

The following are the limits proposed to be established, viz;

To commence at the Victoria Harbor and extend along the North side of Herald street up to Blanchard Avenue; thence along the North side of Chatham street to the East side of Cook street; along the East side of Cook street to Parkington street; along the South side of Parkington street to Humboldt street; down the South side of Humboldt street to the Harbor; and thence along the water front to the place of beginning, Herald street.

By Order of the Mayor and Council.

WM. LEIGH,
C. M. C.

City Council Chambers, September 9th, 1878.
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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE PARTnership hitherto existing between us, the undersigned, WILLIAM ANDREW MEACHAM and ITHIEL BLAKE NASON, lately carrying on business as Lumber Merchants and Miners in Cariboo, British Columbia, under the style of MEACHAM & NASON, and in Texas, United States of America, as stock raisers under the style of W. A. MEACHAM, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

The business at Cariboo will in future be conducted and all debts owing by or to the firm in Cariboo will be paid and received by I. B. Nason, and the business in Texas will in future be conducted and all debts owing by or to the firm in Texas will be paid and received by the said W. A. Meacham.

Dated the sixth day of September, A. D. Eighteen hundred and seventy-eight.

W. A. MEACHAM.
I. B. NASON.

WITNESS to both signatures: ALEX. E. B. DAVIE, Richfield.

Barkerville, Sept. 7, 1878. se10dw1m

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875.

In the matter of J. A. WEBSTER, an insolvent.

A DIVIDEND SHEET HAS BEEN PREPARED, open to objection, at the office of Messrs. WELCH, RITHET & Co., until the Twentieth day of September instant.

R. P. RITHET, Assignee.
Victoria, B. C., 11th September, 1878. se12

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS SHUT UP FOUR Pigs, which he will sell, to defray expenses, unless they are claimed and taken away within 10 days from date.

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Saanichton, Sept. 10, 1878. se11-14t

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SUNDAY MORNING, SEPT. 15TH, 1878.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Sept. 11—None.

CLEARED.

Sept. 11—None.

TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

THE BRITISH COLONIST IS THE ONLY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA THAT RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES. ITS VALUE AS A NEWS AND ADVERTISING MEDIUM IS THEREFORE APPARENT.

San Francisco Stock Market.

[Exclusive Dispatch to The Colonist.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 14.—Ophir 50¼; Mev. 55¾; G. & C. 13; B. & B. 30½; Cala. 11¾; Savage 18⅜; Point 9½; Con. Va. 13; Chollar 45; H. & N. 14⅛; Jacket 25; Imperial 1; Belcher 9⅝. S. Nev. 161; Utah 43; Alpha 14¾; Bullion 12⅜; Seg. Belcher 43; Overman 18¼; Justice 11; Utah 45; Union 103½.

Provincial Rifle Association Meeting.

The prize meeting of the Provincial Rifle Association closed yesterday. The light, especially in the earlier part of the day, was exceedingly bad; but the scores made throughout, under the adverse circumstances, showed considerable improvement in rifle shooting. Private F. Sargison, aged 17, has made the best scores of the meeting, having won $71.50 in cash, a silver tankard, Captain Irving's silver cup, the gold badge of the Association, and a pair of field glasses. This handsome result shows that if young men persevere in practice they may not only equal, but excel the old hands. All of the challenge cups change hands this year. The Nanaimo Team took three first prizes on the first day and was scarcely heard of afterwards. The New Westminster Team, which did so well in former years, won the second prize in the Company Match, but otherwise did poorly. This is yesterday's score:

Royal City Prize (Capt. Irving's cup); open to all members of the Active Militia; ranges, 200, 300, and 500 yards; highest possible score, 105:

Private F. Sargison, Victoria, 76 pts.
Private Kennedy, Victoria, 71 pts.
Lieut. Fletcher, Victoria, 62 pts.
Sergt. Butler, Victoria, 61 pts.
Sergt. Green, Victoria, 60 pts.

Grand aggregate prizes—For the highest aggregate scores in matches Nos. 1, 2 (1st stage), 3, 4, 6 and 7:

Private F. Sargison, Victoria, 266.
Private Butler, Victoria, 261.

Bulls'-eye Cup—For the greatest number of bull's-eyes in matches Nos. 4, 5 6, and 7:

Sargent Butler, Victoria, 19 bulls'-eyes.

Company Match—Five squads were on the ground, representing Victoria Rifles (Companies 1 and 2), Victoria Artillery, New Westminster Rifles and Nanaimo Rifles:

1st. No. 1 Company, Victoria.
2nd. New Westminster Rifles.

Highest individual score—Private F. Sargison, Victoria.

Association Match—Open to all members of the Association; range, 400 yards; highest possible score, 35:

Sergt. Butler, Victoria, 31.
Private Kennedy, Victoria, 28.
Sergt. Green, Victoria, 27.
Mr. Pooley, Esquimalt, 27.
Private Finlaison, Victoria, 27.
Ensign Jackson, New Westminster, 25.
Lieut. Fletcher, Victoria, 25.

Consolation Match—Range 200 yards; highest possible score, 25:

Sergt. Brown, New Westminster, 21.
Asst. Surg. Trew, New Westminster, 21.
Private Cox, Victoria, 19.
Lieut. Fletcher, Victoria, 19.
Private Finlaison, Victoria, 19.
Major Roscoe, Victoria, 18.
Mr. Pooley, Esquimalt, 17.

Long range aggregate—For the highest aggregate scores at 500 and 600 yards in match Nos. 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8:

Private F. Sargison, Victoria, 98.
Private Kennedy, Victoria, 86.

Mr. Maynard was on the ground in the afternoon, and photographed the Dufferin medalists, the New Westminster Team, and some other groups.

GAZETTE NOTICES.—The Premier believes in looking after his own. He has appointed his brother, W. W. Walkem, Esq., M. D. to be a Coroner. "Coroner's 'quest" law will prevail at Burrard Inlet....Mr. F. Foord is gazetted to be a collector and assessor in Cowichan District. Foord has played the part of shuttlecock to successive Government battledores for some years....Debentures from 209 to 303, Loan Act, 1876, will be redeemed at the Treasury six months from date. But is the Chinese Tax collectable?....Twenty-four per cent. is charged on money due on Crown Lands after the 2d of September. Are the Government going to open a pawnbroker's office? If they are they should first take out a license.

NANAIMO.—D. W. Gordon, Esq., has generously donated a valuable lot to the fire department....The *Free Press* calls for the erection of a fog signal near Nanaimo....The trustees of the Nanaimo schools owe $150. Pay it, gentlemen; the Government require all the money that comes in to pay their own salaries.... Constable Stewart is after the murderers of the Wallace party with a sharp stick... Roads in Nanaimo district are impassable and the Government won't clear them.... Ships F. Stang and Belvidere, and barks J. D. Peters and C. J. Carleton are loading at the Vancouver mine.

CARIBOO.—Mr. Edwin Russell returned from Cariboo last evening. He is highly pleased with the appearance of the quartz ledges, and has bonded the Forrist claim, and made locations on other free gold ledges. Part of a very interesting letter from a correspondent appears in this issue. The remainder will appear on Tuesday. The bedrock flume, to September 1st, had cleaned up $13,000 for the season. Black Jack tunnel company took out 225½ ounces in one day recently. The mill was preparing to start on rock from the Ralph ledge.

FROM NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Enterprise arrived here at 3.30 p. m. yesterday from New Westminster with the Mainland mails, the B. C. Express Company's treasure, 78 head of cattle, and the following passengers:—Mrs. Furlong, Mrs. Eckstein, Mrs. Crossman, Miss McKinlay, J. F. Allison, C. Wears, R. Grahame, Williams, F. Hogan and 60 Chinamen.

H. M. S. ROCKET.—Captain Harris returned from San Francisco in improved health and has rejoined his ship.

MR. TODD will meet the electors tomorrow evening at Philharmonic Hall.

Public Meeting at Esquimalt.

A numerously attended meeting of the electors of Victoria District, convened by Mr. J. P. Davies, was held at the Schoolhouse, Esquimalt. Mr. W. Fisher, J.P., was voted to the chair.

Mr. Davies said that the present was the first time he had appeared before the people of Esquimalt as a candidate for the Commons; but he could assure them that if elected they would find him working in the right direction. He deemed it highly desirable that the Province should be represented at Ottawa by a good business man, and he would leave it to those present to say whether, as a business man, he had been successful or not. With reference to political parties he would at once state that if elected he would be a supporter of Sir John A. Macdonald party; but he wished it to be understood that if the party did not do that which is just and honorable to the Province he would not for a moment uphold them. He thought it proper that the existing tariff should be modified so as to afford protection to the products of the agricultural districts. If elected he would do all in his power to secure that protection. Alluding to the railway question he said that the route via Bute Inlet was doubtless the one designed by nature for the great transcontinental line; but if it was found impossible to secure construction through that section of the country he would in any event insist on commencement of the railway on the seaboard of the Province at such place as the engineers might deem most expedient. He felt assured that eventually the line will come *via* Bute Inlet and that the terminus will be at Esquimalt. (Hear, hear). He spoke of the construction of the dry dock as a work of national importance, and pledged himself to do his utmost to secure its completion. He hoped that in the future the great error of the past—dissension—would be avoided, and that whoever might be elected to represent the Province would be found working in harmony for the interests of the country at large. He referred to the frequent promises made by Canada—promises just as frequently broken—and alluded to the policy of the Dominion Government in sending out broken-down politicians to pit the Mainland against the Island and thus afford Mackenzie an opportunity for further delay in railway construction. He clearly explained that he was not a supporter of Mr. Mackenzie, and referred to the fact that the Dominion Government had recently taken from him business that he was formerly permitted to transact for that Government. With reference to the celebrated "convention" he stated that he discovered just in time that it was cut and dried; that Mr. DeCosmos and Mr. Dalby should be nominated. He expressed himself strongly in favor of restricting Chinese immigration, and stated that in the event of the bill passed by the local Government being disallowed, he would do all in his power to secure the passage of a measure to protect white labor. He said that he had always been the friend of the workingman and assured the meeting that if elected he would do his utmost to obtain justice for the Province. (Loud applause).

Mr. Dalby said the Dominion had not acted honorably to the Province and if elected he would put forth every exertion to secure the return to power of Sir John A. Macdonald. He referred to an item that had appeared in *The Colonist* stating that he was in favor of Chinese labor and had erected a number of shanties for the accommodation of Celestials. This, he desired to state, was false, inasmuch as he had let one of the houses alluded to to a white man for $13 per month and had refused $24 from a Chinaman. [A Voice—Who was the white man?] He was opposed to Chinese labor (laughter.) Mr. Davies had been guilty of a barefaced falsehood when he stated that it was a preconcerted dodge to nominate himself and Mr. DeCosmos.

Mr. Davis, addressing Mr. Dalby, said that his (Mr. Davies') narration of the proceedings of the convention was literally true. He had been tabooed and Mr. Dalby knew it. He had it from the lips of one of the members of the convention; and when Mr. Dalby asserted that the convention was not a trap he stated which he knew was an untruth. Under the circumstances he would simply say that a gentleman would not insult him and that a blackguard could not (cheers.)

Mr. DeCosmos being called upon, repeated the language that had passed between Mr. Davies and Mr. Dalby. He did not oppose Mr. Davies, and thought it strange that he should plead ignorance of politics and expect to be elected. He (Mr. DeC.) alluded to his long acquaintance with politics, and said he was the only successful newspaper man that had over set foot in British Columbia. (Laughter.) He was a supporter of the Liberal-Conservative party. Every representative had a right to contend for the *route* he might think best. With reference to the adoption of the Fraser river *route*, he said that it would be found impossible to raise enough business in that locality to grease the axles of the railway cars. Mr. Todd had declined originally to face the people because he was afraid of them. (No! No!) The convention had only been formed to settle a family quarrel, and he had proposed to cast lots for the candidates to run with him; but the aspirants said that looked too much like gambling. Mr. Todd did not dare to submit the question to a public meeting. (That's not so—he put it to the last meeting held in Victoria. He is a gentleman, cheers) The hon. gentleman pledged himself to oppose the employment of Mongols on the railway. He reiterated his explanation of the suppression of the dry dock telegram and said that as he sacrificed his life to politics he hoped the people would think of him on election day.

Mr. Davies asked Mr. DeCosmos if, in the event of the Bute Inlet *route* not being adopted whether he would support construction by some other *route* rather than have no railway at all?

Mr. DeCosmos said that he naturally preferred the Bute Inlet *route*; but if he couldn't get the line there he would take it where he could get it. In case the railway is not commenced by next spring, in accordance with the Carnarvon Terms, he would then be in favor of separation. He would admit that he had a mortgage on lands through which the railway, if it came by Bute Inlet, would pass.

Mr. Davies—Ah! I thought your advocacy of Bute Inlet *route* was a pocket interest. Have you not bought from the Bank of British Columbia the late Mr. Waddington's *interest* in the townsite at Waddington harbor?

Mr. DeCosmos said he had not.

After a desultory discussion

Mr. Wilby briefly addressed the meeting, and upheld the action of the convention as honorable. He would call upon Mr. Todd at the next public meeting to substantiate his statement.

Mr. Fisher explained that he had called for an investigation as to the suppression of the dry dock telegram in the public interest. It was a most important document and if it had been known to have existed two years since it would have had a material effect with reference to the dry dock policy of the Government. He was entitled to call for the telegram and it was Mr. DeCosms' duty to have placed it on record when he received it.

A vote of thanks to the chairman was then passed and the meeting dissolved with three cheers for "Davies."

The San Francisco Stock Market.

Readers of *The Colonist* will have noticed an extraordinary upward tendency in the value of mining stocks at San Francisco within the past month. Shares in one or two of the mines, which sold for $2 and $4 a few weeks ago, have advanced to $90 and $185 and are still advancing. Many fortunes have been made within a few days by those who bought low and sold high, and the circle of buyers, attracted by the success of those who have entered the lists, is constantly enlarging. The Sierra Nevada mine, about which the greatest interest centres, sold a month ago at $4 per share. Friday it was held at $185 per share. The rise is due to the operations of a syndicate of seven speculators, led by a Canadian named Skae, who have obtained control of all but about 4,000 of the shares. Two or three weeks ago the Bonanza kings cast their influence against Sierra Nevada and tried to "bear" the stock by agreeing to deliver 30,000 shares within a given time at a very low figure. They would require, at the rate that obtained Friday, to expend $5,500,000 to fulfil their engagements. Should the stock advance to $1,000 a share (and if the syndicate holds together) the Bonanza kings will be dethroned and a new dynasty will reign, for they will lose $30,000,000.

STAGE ROBBER KILLED.—On last Friday night, the 6th inst., the stage from Yreka to Redding was stopped about 17 miles south of the former place by three masked men, who presented guns and demanded the mail sacks and express box. While the driver was preparing to comply with their peremptory request, Mr. John Reynolds, Wells, Fargo & Co.'s messenger, who was on the seat with the driver, quick as a flash drew a bead on the leading robber and shot him dead. The horses, frightened at the report, commenced rearing and plunging, which disconcerted the robbers, who fired, doing no other injury than killing one of the horses. After firing their pieces they plunged into a friendly thicket and dispersed. The dead man was left at a house near by.

CASSIAR.—There is more gold coming out of Cassiar this than any previous season, and few men are leaving. The reason is that men are content to work for smaller pay, and do not run after excitements so much as formerly. The new creek is likely to furnish permanent diggings. About 70 men are working on Liard River near Fort Halkett. "Big" Levy went up the Liard and Francis Rivers to Francis Lake, and said he found coarse gold in two streams that fall into Francis Lake, and that there are extensive bars on Liard River that will pay from $3 to $6 a day to the hand. The season had been favorable for cereals and vegetables which grew to great perfection.

SKEENA QUARTZ.—The Madden Lead on Skeena River is three feet in width, well-defined and contains considerable free gold in the cropping. The country rock is blue slate. The quartz on the surface is white. After sinking a foot it becomes of a bluish-gray hue, spangled with ore and chloride of silver. The vein crosses a small stream which discharges into the Skeena some distance below the Kitselass cañon. The Skeena is navigable with light-draught steamers to the vein.

A HORSE THIEF.—On Thursday night a valuable horse was stolen from Mr. Geo. Nicholson's premises, Saanich Road. From the appearance of tracks it would seem that thief came from the direction of Saanich, and in all probability he would have decamped with a saddle to boot had it not been for the barking of watch-dogs. The horse was recovered yesterday.

SALMON MOVEMENTS.—Within the past 48 hours there has been quite a speculative moment in Columbia River salmon, with purchases of 25,000 cases 1-lb. tins, each 4 dozen, at $1.35 @ 1.37½, and the price now advanced to $1.42 @ 1.45 ℔ doz. The stock is now well under control, while the Fraser River catch will nearly all be sent to London direct.—*S. F. Newsletter.*

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY.—Mr. Dawson and party left Fort Simpson ten days ago to examine the Hebrew quartz ledge near Bella Bella and the coal measures at the north end of Vancouver Island. He had visited Skidegate, Massett and other parts of Queen Charlotte Island.

THE schooner Onward arrived in port on Thursday last, 31 days from San Francisco. She was recently purchased in San Francisco by her present owner, Capt. McKay, who intends to employ her in the fur and oil trade of the West Coast of the Island.

YELLOW FEVER.—We hope the fever-stricken South will not appeal in vain to the charitably inclined in Victoria. If anything can be spared from local charities let it be given to Wells-Fargo for transmission South.

LUMBER.—A San Francisco paper quotes rough lumber at $13 50 and $14 a thousand in the market of that city, and says that all other descriptions of building material may be reported at about the same low rate.

NEW DWELLINGS.—Mr. R. Franklin is erecting a cottage residence for Mr. J. Young on the Esquimalt Road, near Rock Bay House. He is also putting up a dwelling for Mr. J. Watson in the same locality.

COWICHAN.—A meeting was addressed at Cowichan by Messrs Bunster and Jessop. At the close a resolution endorsing Mr. Bunster, and pledging him the support of the meeting, was passed.

CITY POLICE COURT.—Yesterday Thos. Wainwright, charged with being a vagrant, had a hearing before the Police Magistrate and was discharged.

MILL ARRIVED.—A quartz mill capable of crushing ten tons of rock a day came for Oppenheimer & Co. on the Dakota. It will be placed on the Beedy claim.

SALMON.—The steamer Otter arrived at Esquimalt yesterday with a load of salmon for shipment to England *per* bark Chocorua.

W. E. PRICE, ESQ., Member of the British Parliament, and wife, arrived on the Dakota and are stopping at the Driard House.

BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

EXCLUSIVELY TO THE COLONIST, THE ONLY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA THAT RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

Evening Dispatch.

EUROPE.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The St. Leonard stakes race at Doncaster to-day was won by Lord Falmouth's bay filly "Jannette," bay colt "Childeric," also belonging to Lord Falmouth, second; Kinney's Chestnut colt "Master Kildare" third.

BERLIN, Sept. 13.—Correspondent understands that it is impossible that other Governments will take any steps in favor of Greece without co-operation which England seems indisposed to give.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—At a meeting at Belfast, Ireland last night where O'Donnell, the Home Ruler Member of Parliament, had an appointment to lecture on the subject of Home Rule and tenant rights, Biggar, Home Ruler Member of Parliament, for Cavan was to preside. When they appeared on the platform, a scene of wild confusion ensued, followed by fierce fighting in all parts of the hall and on the platform, resulting in the smashing of furniture and many heads. Finally the people peaceably dispersed and the rioters all went out, and Biggar delivered his address and O'Donnell his lecture to the reporters. The cause of riot was the displeasure of Home Rulers at O'Donnell's supporting the Government on the Eastern question.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 10.—At one p.m. a great crowd gathered at the Merchants' Exchange to attend the auction of boxes and seats for Thursday afternoon matinee at the California Theatre for the benefit of the yellow fever sufferers. Postmaster-General Key was first introduced and made a few remarks, after which Mrs. Oates of the English Opera troupe took the auctioneer's stand, and, coached by the veteran, Gen. Cobb, proceeded to sell the first box. One hundred dollars was the highest offer, and Mrs. Oates bid in the box herself at $110. The second box was purchased by E. F. Hall for $100. Mrs. Scott-Siddons sold the third box, Wm. Harney taking it for $85. Mrs. Judah sold the fourth box for $70, the *Daily Stock Exchange* being the purchaser. Mr. Robson, of the California theatre, next took the stand and disposed of the fifth box for $50, to Mrs. Williams. Mr. Crane sold the sixth box to the *Daily Stock Report* for $60. Mrs. Cotrell of the German dramatic company sold the seventh box for $55, Mr. Hecht being the purchaser; and the last box was knocked down by Gen. Cobb to Mr. Steele for $20. Sale of seats in the dress circle was then commenced by Gen. Cobb, Mrs. Saunders, of the California Theatre, taking first choice at $5. The sale is still in progress, and bids fair to realize a large amount for the relief fund.

CANADA.

Daring Robbery.

DUNDAS, Ont., Sept. 9.—At three o'clock this morning five masked men entered the Great Western railroad station, tied and gagged the watchman and blew open the safe, which contained about $100 and a cheque for a small amount. The burglars escaped.

EASTERN STATES.

CHICAGO, Sept. 10.—A *Times* New Orleans special says:—This morning at No. 688 Peter street, forty-three Chinese were discovered in a starving condition. They had been employed to work on a rice plantation above the city, but the owner, terror-stricken about the fever, refused to permit them to land, and they returned here. Their condition was not discovered until starvation had commenced. A large quantity of rice has been sent to the sufferers.

THE steamer Wilson G. Hunt arrived here at 3 p.m. yesterday from New Westminster with the following passengers: Mrs. Jackson, Miss Deasy, John Speakson, F. W. Waah, Wm. Meacham, E. Russell, J. Ritchford, Hendry, John Calvert, A. Abbott, R. Ninimo, W. B. Wilson, Navarre, Sheldon, D. McPhadden, D. Mills, Kony Lee and family, L. S. Cohen, S. D. Adair, F. Ritchers, James Hennessy.

THE steamer Cariboo-Fly from the east coast yesterday had the following passengers on board:—Mrs. Randle, Mrs. Davie, Miss Skinner, Miss L. Bond, Messrs. A. Bunster, J. Jessop, C. Carpenter, C. B. Brown, J. G. Pimbury, Raybold, W. Morley.

THE Rev. Thos. Crosby will preach at the Wesleyan Church, Pandora st., at 11 a.m. to-day, and the Rev. Thos. Derrick at 7 this evening.

A. T. MCELMEN, ESQ., barrister, returned on the Dakota, after five months' absence in New Brunswick.

PAVILLION HALL.—Pridmore and Gordon will walk ten miles at this hall tomorrow evening

THE steamship Dakota left Esquimalt at an early hour yesterday morning for Puget Sound.

A BAND of splendid beef cattle arrived here yesterday from Mr. Allison's ranch, Semilkameen.

TREASURE shipped from the Mainland per B. C. Express Company yesterday, $6,680.

MR. TEALE, pastor of the Baptist Church, Pandora street, will preach his anniversary sermon to-night at 7 o'clock.

POLITICAL.—The address of Mr. Elliott will be found in this issue.

NEW AUTUMN GOODS.—FIRST ARRIVAL. NOW OPENING.—A general assortment, including Dress Fabrics, and the latest styles in Ladies' and Children's black and colored Cloth. etc., Paletots.

* THOS WILSON & Co.

CARIBOO.

A Graphic description of the Ledges.

A visit to Cariboo now-a-days is a more pleasant trip. The old experience of sleeping on a soft plank every night in a crowded bar room, with an occasional hay loft as a special concession, are among the things of the past; and in their place we find a well appointed line of stages, with steady, careful drivers, who are without exception, courteous and accommodating to passengers, and a wagon road of 400 miles which is unequaled elsewhere on the Pacific Coast.

As a general thing the country seems dead, as though it had the dry rot. New Westminster looks flourishing, and evidently feels the beneficial effects of the salmon canning industries; but the interior towns of Yale, Lytton, Quesnelle and elsewhere, which formerly were full of life and bustle, crowded with pack trains, and with miners going to and from the mines, now seem dismally dull and deserted. Cariboo has, of course, changed with the rest; changed out of all knowledge, in fact. The first thing that strikes one's notice on the road from Quesnelle to Stanley is the number of Chinamen in the country. It may have been a mere coincidence, but as a matter of fact every miner we met on the road on our way to Lightning Creek was a Chinaman; and every team we passed, and there were several of them, were being piloted along by "John". Another marked change is in the number of bright-eyed, healthy youngsters playing about the streets, giving a homelike, settleddown appearance to the country. The old Spring and Fall migration came to an end years ago, and folks now call Cariboo their home.

The placer mines of Cariboo may be disposed of in a few words. On Lightning Creek the Vancouver Company is taking out wages for four men; the "Bonanza" company are struggling with water, but report good prospects; and a few other claims are awaiting the results of the "Bonanza." On William Creek a few hydraulic claims at the upper end of the creek are paying pretty well; notably, that of the Bed Rock Flume Company; a little is also doing at Stout's Gulch and Conklin's Gulch. With the exception of the old Black Jack Company, which is doing remarkably well, the rest of the mining is confined to a few solitary miners, scraping along the bed rock of the side hills, and to the Chinamen who usually contrive to find a picking out of the abandoned claims. All the lower end of the creek which in early days was like a beehive is now one vast solitude, filled up and smoothed off with tailings from the hydraulic washings. From the outlying creek come in little driblets of dust, but as a general rule the placers of 1863-4 are worked out. There is a new field, however, opening up on Snow Shoe Creek which looks very promising, and it is of course, quite within the range of possibility that other discoveries may follow.

The future of Cariboo, however, hangs on its quartz developments, and there is quartz everywhere.

To begin with the Stanley district, there are on Burns Mountain three claims partially opened up. The first one commonly known as the Beedy claim is down 30 feet; it is 18 inches wide on top and gradually narrowed down to about 3 inches at the bottom, with a probability of its widening out again. The ore is rich, and milled over $30 a ton at the prospecting mill at Richfield. Mr. Beedy has procured the shaft house and water power of the "Spruce" Company at Van Winkle, and has ordered a small newly patented one stamp mill from San Francisco, said to be equal to a five stamp mill of the ordinary construction.

The Adams Company are down 18 feet, with a well defined ledge between 3 and 4 feet wide on top, narrowing to about 2½ feet at the bottom of the shaft. The ore is said to assay $37 to the ton of a free milling character and improving as it goes down. Owing to the difficulty of keeping out the water, in the absence of proper pumping facilities, the claim is temporarily laid over.

The Discovery Company, Montgomery Ledge, have a strong vein three feet wide on the top, and widening out to 4½ feet at the bottom of the shaft, which is 30 feet deep. The rock did not prove rich enough to work, and the usual trouble of too much water in the shaft and too little money to set up a pump, has caused a cessession of work for the time being. Before stopping work, however, the ledge was stripped for a distance of 120 feet from the shaft, and an excellent prospect found a few feet below the surface.

Mr. Beedy's little mill will no doubt wake them all up again as soon as it arrives.

The nucleus of the quartz developments is on the mountains bordering William Creek and its vicinity. The Big Bonanza lode is the one which first attracts attention, and in view of the hopes and fears that have been hanging on this ledge for many months, and the various opinions expressed, one almost hesitates to say a word about it. The Cariboo Co.'s claim has evidently had the most work expended on it. The tunnel runs in from the mountain side, at right angles to the ledge, which it crosses, showing a width of somewhere between 20 and 30 feet. It is somewhat difficult for any one not well versed in mining matters to tell exactly where it commences and where it ends, especially on a first visit. There is a short drift made on the ledge to the right of the tunnel, widening out to a chamber, in which one sees by the light of the candles a vast mass of white quartz mixed up with slate and black lead, and streaks and lumps of glistening sulphurets. Some of those streaks are said to assay as high as $40 to $50 per ton and upwards. A sample sent by the company, or some of its members, to Portland, a fair average of what they considered to be milling ore, gave a result of something over $11 per ton. In this drift a winze has been sunk, which is reported to have developed a seven foot streak of pay rock. It is at present full of water and boarded over.

The St. Laurent a splendidly constructed tunnel, which also intersects a similar body of quartz, but of less width. One comes away with the impression that it is not far enough in.

The Lowhee Company have a large pile of fine looking quartz, outside the Victoria Co.'s shaft-house. Samples of this ore sent to both Portland and San Francisco gave a milling return of over $22 per ton. It is all exactly alike, one piece just as good as another. There has been some conflict of opinion as to whether this is really a part of the Bonanza ledge or not. The ore was taken out at a lower depth than any from either the Cariboo or the St. Laurent, and if it is a sample of what the latter companies may look for by sinking down on their claims one would think they need not ask for anything better.

This Bonanza ledge appears to run for miles right across the country in a northeasterly and southeasterly direction or, to be more exact, 70° west.

On the mountain to the right of Willian Creek are the Wilkinson and Steadman ledges running nearly parallel, and which are probably merely forks of the Bonanza coming together again further to the eastward. Here are located the B. C. M. & M. Co.'s claim, the Proserpine, the Perseverance and others. The Proserpine Co. have a shaft 75 feet in depth, which cuts the ledge diagonally. The ledge is still in the shaft and is about 14 feet wide. Samples of ore (fine grained sulphuret) are said to have assayed from $80 to $90 per ton. The shaft is now full of water. A few days ago they commenced stripping some ground on the surface, and developed some oxydized ore, which prospected well, some of the samples showing gold plainly. The B. C. Co.'s shaft is also full of water. PIONEER.

New Westminster District.

The remains of Mr. James Roberts, accidentally drowned, were interred in the Masonic Cemetery at Sapperton on Wednesday last. The funeral was conducted by the Foresters.

The Cohoes are still very scarce, but what are caught of them seem to be of a very large size.

The steamer Reliance is aground just below Emery's Bar.

The forest fires are still raging out towards the Coquitlam. One of the bridges was in great danger of being consumed a few days ago by the devouring element, and had it not been for the arrival and prompt assistance of some gentlemen, would have no doubt been destroyed. Owing to the number of fallen trees obstructing the way it is impossible to get a team over this road.

The French Army of To-day.

Before the Franco-German war the Liberals incessantly demanded the cutting down of the war estimates, the reduction of the annual contingent, and even the abolition of the permanent army. These same politicians who threw numerous obstalces in the way of Marshal Neil's reorganization of the army and the mobiles, have, after a severe lesson, lived to vote for a compulsory service, military districts, and war estimates far in excess of those of the Empire.

In 1870, the last year of the Empire, the war estimates were 373,000,000 francs, while in 1877 they were 550,000,000 francs, not to spesk of the "compte de liquidation," or money voted for replenishing arsenals, etc. It is now estimated that the military forces of France consists of 3,600,000 men—that is to say, a tenth of the population; and they are thus divided; Under the flag; permanant army, 480,000 men; permanent navy, 50,000 men. Then come the men who belong to the active army, but who are not on active service: army, 1,600,000: navy, 70,000 men. The territorial army is set down with its reserve, at 1,400,000 men. This make a total of 3,070,000 men not counting the permanent. portion of the army, namely the officers. It is estimated that in the event of a mobilization it could be possible to *encadrer* 1,800,000 men—that is to say, the regimental staffs are accounted sufficiently strong for this mass of soldiers. The infantry mobilized would be represented by 770,000 men, the artillery by 142,000, the cavalry by 80,000 the engineers by 20,000, the military train by 44,000, and the gendarmie by 50,000, the administration by 26,000, and the auxiliary services by 38,000.

Once this mighty host mobilized and placed in the field, there would still remain 990,000 men (of whom 300,000 are trained) to fill up vacancies. And behind these, again, the territorial army which is being rapidly organized, and is every day growing in strength, and such corps as the Douaniers, or custom-house officers, and the Foresters, which corps, according to the *Army List* of 1878, consists of thirty-five companies and three squadrons. — *Pall Mall Gazette.*

REMOVED,

A. GILMORE wishes to inform his friends and the public that he has removed to the Commission Store on Johnson street, where he will continue to sell at invoice prices.

Garments made to order at cost, as he is closing out that branch of his business

WARRANTED FOR EVER.—The manufacturer of the Raymond Sewing Machines now issues a certificate of warranty to all purchasers of sewing machines of his manufacture: The "Raymond" has been for ten years in constant use by the British Columbia public. They give unqualified satisfaction; they do everything; they do it well. Every new improvement is attached to the "Raymond." Its popularity and its sales increase. Call and see the "guarantee" which is furnished with each "Raymond" Sewing Machine. A new supply of these unequalled machines recently received. A. B. Gray & Co., sole agents for British Columbia.

N. B.—Attachments for all kinds of sewing machines on hand, including new descriptions of hemmers, tuckers, frillers, etc. *

NON-ELECTRO-PLATING. — For Plating all articles of Brass, Copper and German Silver with pure Silver. Will restore the plating when worn off from silver-plated ware and clean and polish it. Warranted to contain no Quicksilver, Acid or Poison For sale by M. W. WAITT & Co. *dw

BUY PENDRAY'S SOAP.—It is the best and cheapest in the market, will cleanse thoroughly without hurting the fabric or hands. For sale at all the principal Groceries; wholesale at the Factory, Humboldt street, Victoria. *

CORSETS from $1 per pair; extra quality buff pique, 25c. per yard.
WABREN & YORK, Fort Street. *

THE new Photograph Gallery on Government street, near James Bay bridge will permanently close on Monday, September 16th. Come at once and avoid the rush of the last day. *

DR. COOL'S SAPONACEOUS TOOTH PASTE, prepared and sold by A. B. Cooke, Yates and Broad streets *

IF heretofore you have been unable to wear a set of artificial teeth call on Dr. Cool. He will guarantee all his work *

GOOD WHITE COTTON for family use, $2 per dozen; 5¾ and 6 light colored kid gloves, best quality, 50c. per pair.
WARREN & YORK, Fort street. *

THE COMMONS.—Mr. Wm. Dalby will be a candidate for the Commons in Victoria District. *

AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION.

TO CLOSE CONSIGNMENTS.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Have received instructions to sell, at Public Auction, on

Monday, September 16, 1878,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

At Salesroom, Wharf Street,

LIQUORS.

59 cases J. & L. three star Martel Cognac.
10 " Ch. Bruchant & Co. Cognac.
" pints Champagne.
" quarts do.
" Sherry.

STOUT.

100 OS COOMBS' STOUT, pts & qts.

ALE.

8 cases McEwan's India Pale Ale, each 4 dozen quarts.
8 cases McEwan's India Pale Ale, each 6 dozen pints.

—ALSO—

7 pkgs Basket Tea.
— kegs 3 and 5 gal. kegs Cutting's Pickles.
12 cases, 1 doz. each, ½ gal., plain and mixed Cutting's Pickles.
— cases Starch.
3 rolls Carpeting.

ROPE.

4 coils 3 in. New Zealand Rope.
3 " Baling Rope.

—ALSO—

7000 Domestic Cigars.

Also, at commencement of sale,

A large Cook Stove and Fittings.
Tables, Chairs, Benches, etc., etc.

Terms at Sale.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
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YATES ST., ABOVE BLANCHARD.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE!

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Will sell, at the above residence, on

Wednesday, Sept. 18th, 1878,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

Walnut Bedroom Sets, Spring and Hair Mattresses, Sheets, Blankets, Quilts, Carpets, Curtains, Pictures, Looking Glasses, Chairs, Tables, Sofas, Couches, Traveling Chests, Dressing Japan Cabinet, Mahogany Bedroom Furniture, Dining-room Furniture, Kitchen requisites, Carpenter and other Tools, etc., etc.

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REAL ESTATE SALE.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Have received instructions to sell, by Public Auction, at Salesroom, Wharf street,

Tuesday, Septr. 24th, 1878,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

Town Lot 1728, Superior street, James Bay, situate in the rear of the Government Buildings.

Also, 2 Acres, part of Section Seven, Saanich Road, close to Dr. Tolmie.

This fine piece of alder bottom land is known as the Institute property.

Deeds at buyer's expense. Terms Cash.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
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THE FOSTER GOLD MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

THE REGISTERED OFFICE OF THIS COMPANY has been removed to Langley street, nearly opposite the Angel Hotel.

HENRY E. CROASDAILE,
au30 Secretary.

FOSTER GOLD MINING COMPANY, (LIMITED).

ASSESSMENT NO. 1 OF THREE-FOURTHS (¾) of one cent. per share has this day been levied, and is payable at the Company's Office in Stanley, or at their Office in Victoria, B. C., on or before Monday, 30th September next, and will be delinquent on that day. By order of the Directors.

W. W. DODD, Secretary.
Stanley, B. C., Aug. 30, 1878. se11

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING & MINING CO., (LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

ASSESSMENT No. 4 OF TWO AND A-HALF cents per Share has this day been levied, payable at the Company's office in Victoria on or before Tuesday, 24th September next, and will be delinquent on that date. By order of the Directors.

G. A. SARGISON.
Victoria, 29th August, 1878. au30

To Invalids, Tourists and Sportsmen.

THE COMOX HOTEL

SITUATED AT THE STEAMBOAT LANDING, Comox, will be found an agreeable resort.

GOOD FISHING AND SHOOTING IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD.

THE TABLE, kept by Mrs. Fitzpatrick, is supplied with all the delicacies of the season.

CHARGES MODERATE.

au16dw G. M. FITZPATRICK, Proprietor.

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CACHE CREEK.

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HAVING TAKEN THE ABOVE ESTABLISHment has refitted and refurnished it to meet the largely increasing business of the present time and is prepared to afford the best accommodation to the traveling public. The cooking arrangements are under the superintendence of a first-class cook, and no efforts will be spared to give a first-class entertainment.

GOOD STABLING.

Cache Creek, May 10th, 1878. my16dw

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STOCKS AND MINES.

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING AND MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

Location of Principal Place of Business - - Victoria
Location of Works - - - - - - Cariboo.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT CALL NO. 3 of ten cents per share upon the British Columbia Milling and Mining Company (Limited), made on the Fifteenth day of July, A. D. 1878, is now due and unpaid, in respect of the Shares hereinafter specified, and that there are now due and unpaid upon the following described Shares, on account of the said Assessment, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective holders of such shares, namely:—

Name.	No. of Certificate.	No. of Shares.	Amount.
Walter E. Blackett	45	13	1 30
Thomas L. Briggs	251	25	2 50
do	253	25	2 50
do	920	250	25 00
William J. Briggs	69	14	1 40
Earnest W. Ball	933	250	25 00
do	934	250	25 00
Henry E. Croasdale	348	100	10 00
Chas. N. Cameron	146	50	5 00
do	147	50	5 00
do	148	50	5 00
do	149	50	5 00
James Cameron	363	50	5 00
Thomas Cox	682	10	1 00
Edward Chubbock	839	10	1 00
Frederick Davey	249½	20	2 00
do	470	20	2 00
John Duncan	469	50	5 00
H. Dunfield	846	10	1 00
Alexander Easson	855	100	10 00
Henry Featherstone	441	50	5 00
do	532	25	2 50
Oliver Grimmer	213	50	5 00
W. H. Grafton	842	10	1 00
do	843	10	1 00
do	844	10	1 00
Cora Hermann	158	100	10 00
Thomas G. Moody	309	34	3 40
J. H. McArthur	684	10	1 00
J. M. Musgrove	845	10	1 00
W. J. McDonald	879	200	20 00
Samuel Nesbitt	165	100	10 00
do	166	100	10 00
do	167	50	5 00
do	498	100	10 00
do	499	100	10 00
do	500	100	10 00
do	501	100	10 00
do	502	100	10 00
do	503	100	10 00
do	504	100	10 00
do	505	50	5 00
Frederick Reynolds	162	100	10 00
do	163	100	10 00
do	164	50	5 00
do	490	100	10 00
do	491	100	10 00
do	492	100	10 00
do	493	100	10 00
do	494	100	10 00
do	495	100	10 00
do	496	100	10 00
do	497	50	5 00
Hugh Ross	767	100	10 00
do	768	100	10 00
do	769	100	10 00
do	770	100	10 00
do	771	100	10 00
do	772	100	10 00
do	774	100	10 00
do	775	100	10 00
do	776	100	10 00
Jas. McB. Smith	815	90	9 00
do	921	50	5 00
Charles Strouss	927	200	20 00
do	935	100	10 00
do	936	100	10 00
do	937	65	6 50
E. A. Selwyn	685	10	1 00
J. H. E. Secretan	850	30	3 00
Isaac Saul	929	100	10 00
Edward Waldo	840	100	10 00
W. C. White	859	50	5 00
Charles Morton	411	25	2 50
do	412	25	2 50

The above mentioned Shares, or so many thereof as will cover the amounts due, with interest thereon at the rate of One per cent. per month from the Tenth day of August, A.D. 1878, and expenses, will be sold at Public Auction at the British Columbia Mining Stock Board Room, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, on Saturday the Twenty-first day of September, 1878, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon.

Dated 9th September, 1878,
By order of the Directors,
se10dw G. A. SARGISON, Secretary.

PROSERPINE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO. (LIMITED)

Location of Works - Wilkinson Lode, Cariboo, B C.

ASSESSMENT NO. I.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of said Company held on the 26th day of August, 1878, an assessment of one cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of the said Company, payable on the 6th day of September, 1878, to Charles Wilson, at the Company's office, Barkerville, B. C. Any Stock upon which said Assessment shall remain unpaid on the 27th day of September, 1878, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction, and unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on the 24th day of October, 1878, to pay the delinquent Assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.
CHARLES WILSON,
se3dw Secretary, Barkerville, B.C.

NOTICE.

COOPER GOLD & SILVER MINING CO. (LIMITED.)

THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY GENERAL meeting of this company will be held at the rooms of the British Columbia Mining Stock Board, in the City of Victoria, on Tuesday, October 1st, 1878, at 3 o'clock p.m. By order C. MORTON, Secretary.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 3rd, 1878. se3

OFFICE OF THE
ENTERPRISE GOLD AND SILVER MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDers of the Enterprise Gold and Silver Mining Company (Limited) will be held at the rooms of the British Columbia Stock Board on Friday, the 20th September, at 2 o'clock p.m., to take into consideration the purchase of the mine owned by S. Walker, situated on Mosquito Creek, and the increase of the capital stock of the company.
D. GUTMANN, Secretary.
Victoria, B.C., Aug. 20th 1878. au31

COOPER GOLD & SILVER MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

Location of Principal Place of Business - - Victoria
Lolation of Works - - - - - - Cariboo

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT CALL No. ONE (1) of Five Cents per Share upon the Capital Stock of the Cooper Gold and Silver Mining Company (Limited), made on the Tenth day of April A. D. 1878, is now due and unpaid in respect of the Shares hereinafter specified, and that there are now due and unpaid upon the following described Shares, on account of the said assessment, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective holders of such Shares, namely:—

Name	No. of Certificate.	No. of Shares.	Amount.
John Kurtz	46	50	2 50
do	51	106	5 30
do	52	1406	70 30
Van Volkenburgh Bros	101	100	5 00
do	102	100	5 00
do	103	100	5 00
do	91	100	5 00
do	106	100	5 00
Wm. P. Sayward	281	50	2 50
Richard Allen	635	100	5 00
do	636	100	5 00
do	639	100	5 00
do	642	100	5 00
do	645	100	5 00
do	651	100	5 00
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do	696	100	5 00
do	697	100	5 00
do	698	100	5 00
do	699	98	4 90
do	748	30	1 50

The above mentioned Shares, or so many thereof as will cover the amounts due, with interest thereon at the rate of One per cent. per month from the Twelfth day of May, A. D. 1878, and expenses, will be sold at Public Auction at the British Columbia Mining Stock Board Room, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, on Saturday the 28th day of September, 1878, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon.
Dated 3rd September, A. D. 1878.
By order of the Directors.
se3dw C. MORTON, Secretary.

CARIBOO QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ABOVE Company will be held at Barkerville, on Thursday, October 3d, for the election of Directors. The Company's books will be closed on the 19th of September. Parties who cannot attend will please forward their proxies to the Secretary.
CHAS. WILSON, Secty.
Barkerville, Sept. 3rd, 1878. se4dwtd

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT AT THE ENSUING SESSION OF THE Provincial Legislature the Cariboo Quartz Mining Company, Limited will apply for an Act to enable the Company to separate their location on the Steadman ledge from the other property of the Company so as to form another company in respect of the Steadman location. Such other company to be called the Steadman Company. The shares in the Steadman Company to be offered to the shareholders in the Cariboo Quartz Mining Company in proportion to their shares in that company, and if declined to be disposed of by the Steadman Company for the benefit of the Company.
Barkerville, 18th May, 1878. my23dw

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GENERAL ABSTRACT

Showing the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements for the Quarter ending 29th June, 1878.

LIABILITIES.

Notes in circulation	$217,082 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	8,999 35
Deposits not bearing Interest..$770,213 79	
Deposits bearing Interest...... 111,905 66	
	882,119 45
Total Amount of Liabilities	$1,108,200 80

ASSETS.

Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$213,611 41
Gold Bullion	11,613 24
Landed and other Property	27,851 33
Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate within the Province..............$ 6,546 49	
Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate without the Province.......... 227,886 67	
	234,433 16
All debts due to the Bank within the Province, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks & Branches 612,687 99	
Do. without the Province...... 247,052 03	
	859,740 02
Total Amount of Assets	$1,407,249 16

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of the Quarter ending 29th June, 1878........$1,730,000
Rate of last dividend declared to the Shareholders..........................7 per cent. per annum.
Amount of last dividend declared.......................... 69,550
Amount of reserved profit at the time of declaring such dividend.......................... 193,230

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
(Signed) ISAAC B. FISHER, Act'g Accountant.

VICTORIA, B. C., 15th July, 1878.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within the Province of this Bank during the period specified and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof kept in pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1864." WM. C. WARD.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 15th day of July, 1878.
jy16 R. P. RITHET, J. P.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

ARRIVAL AND CLOSING OF MAILS AT VICTORIA.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1878.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, United Kingdom Europe and U. S., *via* San Francisco.	About the 3d, 13th and 23d of each month.	On the 10th, 20th and 30th of each month at 10 A. M.
Do. *via* Port Townsend..	Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 4:30 P. M.	Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 6 P. M.
Australia, New Zealand, Sandwich Islands and Fiji Islands.	Once a month at irregular date..................	On the 20th of Aug., Sept., Oct., Nov., and 10th Dec.
China and Japan.......	do do	On 20th day of each month.
Mexico, Central America, and South Pacific coast	do do	On the 10th & 30th days of each month.
New Westminster and Burrard Inlet.	Wednesdays and Saturdays at 3 P.M.	Mondays and Thursdays at 6 P. M.
Barkerville, and Intermediate offices.	Saturday at 3 P.M.........	Thursday at 6 P. M.
Nanaimo, Wellington and offices on East Coast.	Thursdays and every alternate Saturday at 5 P.M..	Mondays and every alternate Thursday at 6 P. M.
Comox and East Coast offices.	Every alternate Friday at 5 P.M.	Every alternate Monday at 6 P.M.
Esquimalt............	Daily at 10 A.M. and 2 P.M.	Daily at 11.30 A.M. and 4.30 P.M.
Metchosin............	Monday at 1 P.M.........	Tuesday at 12 noon.
Saanich..............	Wednesday at 9 A.M......	Wednesday at 12 noon.
Sooke................	Monday at 3 P.M.........	Tuesday at 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS

Payable at Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, United Kingdom, Newfoundland and the United States, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Granville, Nanaimo, New Westminster, Quesnelle, Soda Creek, Spence's Bridge, Sumas and Yale, can be obtained at this office.

OFFICE HOURS—From 9 A.M. to 6 P.M.
FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.; on Saturdays from 9 A.M. to 12 noon.

R. WALLACE, POST OFFICE INSPECTOR.
POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st April, 1878. au14

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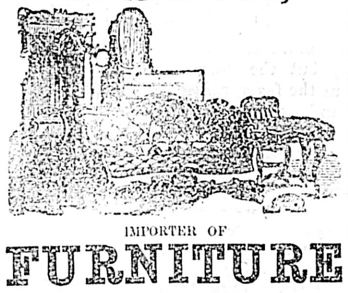

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GENERAL ABSTRACT

SHOWING the average amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, within the Province of British Columbia, taken from the usual weekly statements, for the Quarter ending 30th June, 1878.

LIABILITIES.

Notes in Circulation not bearing interest	$107,075 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	17,201 05
Deposits ON CALL not bearing interest	93,221 42
Deposits NOT ON CALL bearing interest	344,458 18
Total amount of Liabilities	$561,955 65

ASSETS.

Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$ 82,965 41
Gold Bullion	7,113 73
Notes and Cheques of other Banks	3,221 90
Landed and other Property	18,000 00
Balances due from other Banks & Branches	251,232 33
Amount of all other debts due to the Bank	225,354 75
Total Amount of Assets	$587,888 12

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1878.....$5,000,000
Rate of last Dividend declared to Shareholders..........................5 per cent per annum.
Amount of last Dividend declared for half year..........................$125,000.
Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring said Dividend..........................$1,058,865

VICTORIA, B. C., 12th July, 1878.

(Signed) JAMES CRAN, Sub. Manager.
(Signed) F. STANGER, Accountant.

I, JAMES CRAN, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the above Bank within the Province during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the Banking Act, 1864. (Signed) JAMES CRAN.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 12th day of July, 1878.
jy13 (Signed) A. J. LANGLEY, J. P.

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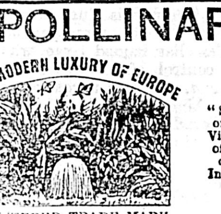

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TO THE UNFORTUNATE.

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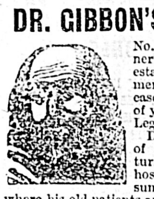

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se13 GEO. S. WRIGHT.

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MR. JOSEPH BRISCOE IS REQUESTED TO forward his address to this department.
T. B. HUMPHREYS,
Provincial Secretary.
Victoria, 16th Aug., 1878. au17dw

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